

# Application for permission to appeal a decision of the First-tier Tribunal (Care Standards)

**For office use only**

Case reference number

Office stamp  
(date received)

Use this form to apply for permission to appeal against a decision of the First-tier Tribunal (Care Standards).

Please complete this form in CAPITAL LETTERS or type and either return it by post, email or fax, details at the end of this form.

## A – Applicant's details

Title ☐ Mr ☐ Mrs ☐ Miss ☐ Ms ☐ Other (please specify) Surname First name(s) Address   
Telephone number   
Mobile number   
Postcode Email address 

## B – Your representative's details

Name Profession Address   
Telephone number   
Mobile number   
Fax number   
Postcode Email address 

**Important:** We can only send papers and documents to one of the people named on this form. If you do not tell us otherwise we will automatically send the papers to you.

Who should receive information about the appeal?

☐ You ☐ Your representative

**C – About the decision against which you are seeking permission to appeal**

What was the Appellant’s appeal number you want permission to appeal:

**D – Reasons for any delay**

Has more than 28 days passed from the date the decision was sent to you? ☐ Yes ☐ No

If Yes, you must apply for an extension of time by giving your reasons for the delay in the box below:

*Continue on a separate sheet if necessary.*

**E – Reasons for appeal**

Please state what error of law you consider the Tribunal has made. Say what result you are seeking in making this application.

*Continue on a separate sheet if necessary.*

## F – Other information and your signature

### Time limits for application

You must complete and return this application within 28 days from the date on the letter sent with the decision. Your application must also include a copy of the decision and any other relevant documentation.

If you are unsure about the time limit, refer to the guidance 'Appealing to the First-tier Tribunal (Care Standards) – a guide to the appeals procedures' (available from the Care Standards website: [www.justice.gov.uk/tribunals/care-standards](http://www.justice.gov.uk/tribunals/care-standards)) or contact the Care Standards Office for advice (details below).

In certain circumstances you can ask for an extension of time if you are late in sending this appeal application.

**You MUST give the reasons for the delay.** It is not possible to extend time limits in some cases.

If you do not meet the specified time limit for appealing and the Tribunal does not allow your application for an extension of time, or where it is not possible to extend the time, your appeal will not be admitted, it is therefore very important to meet the deadline.

Your signature:

Date:

This form can be signed by the person bringing the appeal or by their Legal Representative.  
(A typed signature is acceptable)

When you have completed this form, send it **with a copy of the decision letter** sent to you, giving you the right to appeal **and any other relevant documentation**.

### Care Standards contact details

**Post:**

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Care Standards  
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Darlington  
DL1 1RU

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For further information about appeals to the Tribunal, go to the Care Standards website: [www.justice.gov.uk/guidance/courts-and-tribunals/tribunals/care-standards/index.htm](http://www.justice.gov.uk/guidance/courts-and-tribunals/tribunals/care-standards/index.htm)